

Introducing WECCP's New Outreach Team Members

Kurstin Kolodziej
WECCP Early Childhood Content Specialist

Kurstin Kolodziej has been working as an Early Childhood Special Educator for 14 years. Within this time she has served in multiple roles including: special education classroom teacher, itinerant special education teacher (working in regular education classrooms, homes, and community based locations), diagnostician, birth-to-three transition coordinator, Early Childhood Program Support Teacher, and Pyramid Model Coach. Kurstin also recently completed a master's degree program in Educational Administration.



Kurstin lives in central Wisconsin with her husband and family, including 4 children and a chocolate lab. In her free time, Kurstin enjoys attending her children's sporting events, reading, ice fishing, crafting, photography, and golfing.

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Joanna Lickel
*WECCP Early Childhood Outreach Specialist NW Region**
Culturally Responsive Practices (Emphasis: Tribal Nations)

Joanna earned a Bachelor's degree in Community Health Education from the University of Wisconsin - La Crosse and completed an internship on the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota. She is passionate about prevention education and early intervention and loves to see families and children empowered to achieve success across all areas of development. She worked for seven years as a home visitor with UW-Extension's Healthy Beginnings Program, teaching child development, facilitating parent-child interaction, conducting screenings, and providing referrals to community resources. She also worked for nearly five years in an administrative support role



for the Wisconsin Nutrition Education Program in Portage County. She and her husband have three sons and live in Stevens Point on a small hobby farm.

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Tiffany Swain

WECCP Early Childhood Outreach Specialist NE Region
4K and 4K Community Approaches*



Tiffany earned a Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education from the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh. She has twenty years' experience in early childhood education in and out of the classroom. She has experience in caring for infants through school-agers as both a teacher and substitute teacher in a variety of sites (over 50). These include group child care centers, family child centers, public schools, charter schools, preschools, community-based 4K, and school-based 4k sites. Additionally, she has experience with parent outreach, provider trainings, YoungStar consulting, the Environment Rating Scales, Wisconsin Model Early Learning Standards, and the Pyramid Model. Tiffany lives in the Fox Valley Area and enjoys spending time with her family.

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Sarah MacFarland,

*WECCP Early Childhood Outreach Specialist Southern
Region*
Homelessness / Child Find*



Sarah has been working with young children, families, and pre-service teachers for the past 19 years. She has a Bachelor of Science degree with majors in Sociology and Spanish and a Master's degree in Education. She has worked as a home visitor, family literacy preschool teacher, birth to three service coordinator, early childhood special education teacher, university instructor for pre-services early childhood teachers, and inclusion support coach for 4K-5th grade.

Sarah recently moved to Stoughton and has previously lived in Brown County, the Fox Cities, and Central Wisconsin. She and her husband have visited over 50 of Wisconsin's State Parks and love exploring the outdoors with their two children, ages 7 and four years old.

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Please feel free and take a moment to introduce yourselves to each of the new team members. Questions about roles and responsibilities for each position can be directed to the Outreach Specialists or Sherry W. Kimball, Early Childhood Consultant, WI Department of Public Instruction.

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**See Regional Map Below*

WECCP Team Map (March 2019)



Regions:

Northwest	Northeast	Southern
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Counties within Regions

Northwest <i>Joanna Lickel</i>	Northeast <i>Tiffany Swain</i>	Southern <i>Sarah MacFarland</i>
Douglas	Vilas	Vernon
Bayfield	Oneida	Crawford
Ashland	Forest	Grant
Iron	Florence	Richland
Price	Marinette	Sauk
Sawyer	Oconto	Iowa
Washburn	Langlade	Lafayette
Burnett	Lincoln	Green
Polk	Menominee	Dane
Barron	Shawano	Columbia
Rusk	Waupaca	Dodge
Taylor	Outagamie	Jefferson
Chippewa	Brown	Rock
Dunn	Kewaunee	Walworth
Saint Croix	Door	Waukesha
Pierce	Manitowoc	Ozaukee
Pepin	Calumet	Milwaukee
Eau Claire	Winnebago	Racine
Clark	Waushara	Kenosha
Marathon	Adams	Washington
Portage	Juneau	
Wood	Marquette	
Jackson	Green Lake	

Monroe	Fond du Lac	
La Crosse	Sheboygan	
Trempealeau		
Buffalo		